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L. V. & E. T. BLUM, Salem, N. C., Jan. 5, 1885.

The English wheat crop is good and the average is 20 bushels per acre.

The government's share of the expense of Grant's funeral is now figured at \$20,000.

Capt. R. T. Fulghum, a gallant ex-Confederate and journalist died in the Insane Asylum at Raleigh on Sunday last.

Eight more clerks in the Treasury Department were removed Saturday, in the interest of economy. The majority were employed in the Internal Revenue Bureau.

On Monday the American yacht Puritan beat the English yacht Genesta, by 16 minutes in the 38 mile race over the New York Yacht Club course.

Dennis Curtis, one of Greensboro's most valued and trustworthy citizens, died at his home in that city, after a lingering illness, last week, aged 59 years.—*Workman.*

Within twenty-eight days sixty postoffices have been burned or pulled by burglars. The average loss in each case was less than one hundred dollars, which falls upon the government.

Thanks for a complimentary ticket to the Charlotte Fair Grounds during the four days of the Annual fair of the Carolina Fair Association, commencing October 27th.

The Association is confident of a successful Fair this fall.

This week being the centennial of Temperance work, and the 100th year since Dr. Rush gave to the world his celebrated views on the effects of alcohol on the human system. The papers have been giving notice, and requesting ministers all over the land to preach a special temperance sermon next Sabbath, 20th inst.

The business failures throughout the country during the last week, as reported to R. G. Dunn & Co., number for the United States 184, and for Canada 19, against 165 for the week before, and 159 for the week previous. The increase is altogether in the Pacific and Western States.

Five horses were lately killed by lightning in a singular manner at Camilla, N. Y. They stood with their heads over a wire fence, when suddenly the lightning struck the fence a distance of 1,000 feet from the horses. The current traversed the wire and went to the ground through the horses.

Probably the oldest man in the United States is now living near Dalton, Mo., with his son. He is a colored man, and was born in Prince Edward county, Va., about 1765. His first owner was James Ewing, grandfather of John J. and S. P. Ewing, who lived in and near Dalton. He has been in the Ewing family since his birth, and tells himself Martin Ewing.

WASHINGTON, September 11.—The President to-day appointed Moses A. Hopkins, of North Carolina, to be minister resident and consul general of the United States to Liberia.

WASHINGTON, September 11.—The marine hospital service is informed through the collector of customs at El Paso that yellow fever is epidemic in the state of Sonora, Mexico, and a request is made for the appointment of a medical inspector at Nogales. The collector was authorized to appoint an inspector at once.

Miraculous Escape. W. W. Reed, druggist, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "One of my customers, Mrs. Louisa Pike, Bartonia, Randolph Co., Ind., was a long sufferer with Consumption, and was given up to die by her physicians. She heard of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and began taking it. In six months time she walked to this city, a distance of six miles, and is now so much improved she has quit using it. She feels she owes her life to it."

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James W. Hinkley, one of the editors and proprietors of the New York Graphic, has brought suit in the United States Court, New York, to test the constitutionality of the Civil Service Law. The action is in the form of quo warranto proceedings against the Commissioners, Messrs. Eaton, Thoman and Gregory, demanding by what right they exercise unconstitutional powers. Mr. Hinkley says he has reason to believe that Secretary Daniel Manning agrees with him as to the unconstitutionality of the Civil Service Reform Law.—*Chronicle.*

A terrific cyclone visited Washington Court-House, Ohio, Tuesday night, and almost swept the town from the earth, fully four hundred buildings going down; a number of persons were killed and the list of injured is over 300; the damage to property will exceed \$1,000,000; in other places in Ohio and in Indiana, the same storm wrecked many houses and caused loss of life.—*Star.*

ARMY WORMS' RAVAGES.—A dispatch from Nashville says the much dreaded army worm, produced by continued drought, is devastating bottom fields in Rutherford and other counties in the southern part of Tennessee. Thousands of acres have already been completely denuded, and unless some change is had in the weather not more than one third of a crop will be made. Cattle are suffering in some parts of the State for want of water. Many streams and wells have gone dry compelling farmers to drive stock great distances to obtain water.

The October number of DEMOCRAT'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE is, as usual, very entertaining and instructive. As a family magazine it is worthy of honorable mention. The present number is filled with readable articles, among which are "Three Days at Chamounix," "The Poet Milton" and "Rambles About Greece." All the articles devoted to fashion and the adornment of home are very suggestive, and the stories, poems, and various departments furnish agreeable and instructive reading. There are some good illustrations, and the frontispiece is a fine steel engraving. This number completes Vol. XXI.

The September Century.

Of greatest public interest among the contents of the September CENTURY are General Grant's article on "The Siege of Vicksburg"; the forcible frontispiece portrait, after a photograph taken when Gen. Grant was President (with which is given a fac-simile of his first signature on the army pay-account as "General Retired"); and a communication from General Grant, dated Mt. Greaser, June 22nd, which is printed with "Memoranda on the Civil War," and in which he withdraws what was by him in THE CENTURY of last February in regard to the conduct of "General Lew Wallace and General McCook at Shiloh." An editorial in "Topics of the Time" explains why General Grant's article on Vicksburg is printed without illustrations, and also that the subject will be resumed, with pictures at another time. A supplementary article of great interest, in the same number, is "A Woman's Diary of the Siege of Vicksburg," which gives an inside view of the hardships and anxieties suffered by the besieged. The "Memoranda on the Civil War," besides General Grant's communication, embrace "Who Projected the Canal at Island No. 10?" by General Schuyler Hamilton; "The Charge of Cooke's Cavalry at Gaines's Mill," in reply to General Fitz John Porter, by General Philip St. George Cooke, with "Recollections of a Participant in the Charge," by Rev. W. H. Hittcock; and a continuation of the discussion in regard to "General Beauregard's Courier at Bull Run," by Major Campbell Brown. Besides there are interesting papers on Alaska by Lt. Schwatka, of the government survey. A bright English article is beautifully illustrated, entitled "Among the Red Roofs of Sussex." The "Crow's Nest" is a good short story. All the articles are bright and bracing as a September morning.

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SOUTHERN NEWS AND NOTES.

From the Industrial South.

Knoxville's population has doubled in the past five years, and the city now has 27,000 inhabitants.

Major Robert Bingham, in an address lately delivered before the Normal School, Wilson, N. C., stated that North Carolina made 140,000 bales of cotton before the war, and 25,000,000 pounds of tobacco, and in 1880 she made 400,000 bales of cotton and 50,000,000 pounds of tobacco, and as much grain as before.

General Henry O. Read, 171 Broadway, New York, president of the London and Continental Cattle Company, capital \$10,000,000 is selecting for purchase 1,000,000 acres of the grazing plateau of Tennessee. The cattle will range the mountain ranches during the summer and be wintered in the farming districts of the lowlands.

A new industry in the southern forests is the utilization of the needles of the long-leaved pine. The leaves are soaked in a bath to remove the glazing, and then "crinkled" for stuffing cushions of other upholstering purposes. They are specially valuable on shipboard and other places where furniture is in danger of becoming infested with insects.

In an interview with the present excellent Governor of North Carolina—Alfred M. Scales—he remarked that at no time in the history of the State were there such propitious signs for the upbuilding of the State in all its material interests as at the present moment. Inquiry from the present added to many letters received by the Commissioner of Immigration from points throughout the North and West is the best possible evidence that the State is being considered as a safe and healthy place for investment.

One of the great industries of the South, but one which is yet confined to a single State, is phosphate mining. South Carolina has been wonderfully enriched by this extensive industry, which in connection with the manipulation of phosphates it is estimated by the State Agricultural Department, has brought \$50,000,000 into that State since 1868. There are at present in operation in the State fourteen companies engaged in mining phosphate on land, eleven river mining companies, eleven fertilizer manufacturing companies.

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Corn Figures.

Corn is king undoubtedly, if the value of the entire crops produced of cotton, wheat and corn be reckoned. Several times the yield has exceeded 1,500,000, and now it is expected to reach 2,000,000 bushels, and even if only 20 cents per bushel should be realized by the producer, less than corn is supposed to be ordinary crops for feeding to cattle and hogs such a crop would be worth \$400,000,000. When the country has produced over 6,000,000 bales of cotton thus far, it has produced over 400,000,000 bushels of wheat, as the western farmers well know, the average price to the producer has not exceeded 75 cents per bushel. Last year, with unusually large crops the Bureau estimate of the value to producers was about \$250,000,000 for cotton, \$330,000,000 for wheat, and \$840,000,000 for corn. The estimate of the Bureau may be rather higher than the actual return to the producer, but they nevertheless illustrate with sufficient accuracy the relative importance of these great crops. Hence the reports of injury to this most important crop have been watched with unusual interest.

COUNTERFEITERS ARRESTED.—Mr. W. R. Rector brought in Asheville one day last week two men Wm. T. Hopkins and LaFayette Hopkins, arrested in Wayneville charged with passing counterfeit coin. The accused were examined before Commissioner J. Wiley Shook, and the proof was deemed sufficient to justify their commitment. The counterfeiters are imitations of dollars and half dollars, very rude presentments of the red coin. They are not calculated to deceive; yet a number of half dollars had been put off on the ignorant or unwary. Besides the evidence of the parties imposed upon, there were found on the persons of the prisoners specimens of the counterfeit money. The dies were not found.—*Asheville Citizen.*

The Chatham Record says: We hear that on last Tuesday night a party of disguised men arrested the wife and sister of Jerry Finch, who is confined in jail on suspicion of being one of the Finch murderers, and attempted to extort information out of them about the murder by hanging them up. It is said that each of the women was hung up twice, but both persisted in declaring that they knew nothing about the murder, and that they regretted this occurrence, as it did no good and is calculated to do harm.

A mob on Sunday night visited Pike county jail at Murfreesboro, Arkansas, and made an attempt to shoot the Polk boys, confined for murder, but not being able to get them in range the mob hauled a load of wood to the jail, piled it around the iron cell, saturated the wood with coal oil and literally roasted both prisoners alive. Nothing was left standing but the brick walls of the jail. The Polks murdered a peddler last year, and had several trials. The affair has created great excitement, and this was the third effort by mobs to kill them.

The Courts Under the New Arrangement.

FIRST DISTRICT—JUDGE SHEPHERD. Currituck—September 7, one week. Camden—September 14, one week. Pasquotank—September 21, one week. Perquimans—September 28, one week.

Chowan—October 5, one week. Gates—October 12, one week. Hertford—October 19, one week; December 21, one week. Washington—October 26, one week; December 14, one week. Tyrrell—November 2, one week. Dare—November 9, one week. Hyde—November 16, one week. Pamlico—November 23, one week. Beaufort—November 30, two weeks.

SECOND DISTRICT—JUDGE PHILLIPS. Craven—November 30, two weeks. Warren—September 21, two weeks. Northampton—October 5, two weeks. Edgecombe—October 19, two weeks. Halifax—November 16, two weeks. THIRD DISTRICT—JUDGE CONNOR. Franklin—August 17, one week; November 16, one week. Martin—September 7, two weeks; December 7, two weeks, for civil causes and jail cases only.

Fifth—September 21, two weeks. Vance—October 19, two weeks. Wilson—November 2, two weeks. Nash—November 23, two weeks. FOURTH DISTRICT—JUDGE CLARK. Wake—July 13, two weeks; criminal causes only. August 31, two weeks; civil causes only. September 28, two weeks; criminal. October 26, three weeks; civil causes only. Wayne—July 27, two weeks; civil and criminal. September 14, two weeks; civil and criminal. October 19, one week; civil causes only. Harnett—August 10, one week; civil and criminal. Johnston—August 17, two weeks; civil and criminal.

FIFTH DISTRICT—JUDGE GILNER. Orange—August 10, one week; November 9, one week. Caswell—August 17, one week; November 16, one week. Person—August 24, one week; November 23, one week. Guilford—August 31, two weeks; December 14, two weeks. Granville—September 14, two weeks; November 30, two weeks. Alamance—September 28, one week. Chatham—October 5, two weeks. Durham—October 19, two weeks. SIXTH DISTRICT—JUDGE MCKAY. Jones—August 17, one week; November 2, one week. Lenoir—August 24, two weeks; November 16, two weeks. Duplin—September 7, one week; November 30, two weeks. Pender—September 14, one week; for civil cases only. New Hanover—September 28, two weeks. Sampson—October 12, two weeks; December 14, one week. Carteret—October 26, one week. Onslow—November 9, one week. SEVENTH DISTRICT—JUDGE MCRAE. Cumberland—July 27, one week; November 9, one week, for criminal causes; November 16, two weeks, for civil causes. Columbus—August 3, one week. Moore—August 17, two weeks; December 7, two weeks. Robeson—August 31, two weeks; October 12, two weeks. Anson—September 14, one week, for criminal causes; November 30, one week, for civil causes. Brunswick—September 21, one week. Richmond—September 28, two weeks; December 21, one week. Bladen—October 26, two weeks. EIGHTH DISTRICT—JUDGE MONTGOMERY. Iredell—August 10, two weeks; November 9, two weeks. Rowan—August 24, two weeks; November 23, two weeks. Davidson—September 7, two weeks; December 7, one week. Randolph—September 21, two weeks. Montgomery—October 5, two weeks. Stanly—November 19, two weeks. Calhoun—November 2, one week; for criminal causes and non-jury civil cases.

NINTH DISTRICT—JUDGE GRAVES. Rockingham—July 27, two weeks; November 9, one week. Stokes—August 10, two weeks; November 16, one week. Surry—August 24, two weeks; November 23, one week. Alleghany—September 7, one week. Wilkes—September 14, two weeks. Yadkin—September 28, two weeks. Davie—October 12, two weeks. Forsyth—October 26, two weeks. TENTH DISTRICT—JUDGE AYER. Henderson—July 20, three weeks. Burke—August 10, two weeks. Ashe—August 17, two weeks. Watauga—August 31, one week. Caldwell—September 7, one week. Mitchell—September 14, two weeks. Union—September 28, two weeks. McDowell—October 12, two weeks. ELEVENTH DISTRICT—JUDGE SHIFF. Alexander—July 27, one week. Catawba—August 3, one week. Cleveland—August 10, two weeks; October 26, one week. Mecklenburg—August 31, 3 weeks; civil causes only. Union—September 21, two weeks. Lincoln—October 5, one week. Gaston—October 12, two weeks. Rutherford—November 2, two weeks. Polk—November 16, one week. TWELFTH DISTRICT—JUDGE GUDGER. Madison—August 3, two weeks; November 23, two weeks, civil causes. Buncombe—August 17, three weeks; December 7, two weeks. Transylvania—September 7, 1 week. Haywood—September 14, two weeks. Jackson—September 28, one week. Macon—October 5, one week. Clay—October 12, one week. Cherokee—October 19, two weeks. Graham—November 2, one week. Swain—November 9, one week.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1885.

LOCAL ITEMS.

AN EPITOME OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

Departure and arrival of Trains on the Salem Branch—N. W. N. C. R. R.
No. 9 Leaves Salem, 6:20 a. m.
" 10 Arrives " 11:25 a. m.
" 11 Leaves " 6:35 p. m.
" 12 Arrives " 1:17 a. m.

—All persons in arrears for the Press will please call and settle.

—Press, self-pier, for sale.

—Weather warm.

—Sheriff Boyer's tax notice in this paper.

—The Circus is coming. See advertisement.

—Kernersville wants a Bank, and should have it.

—A great many persons are making hay this week.

—The Interior Court of Stokes County has been abolished.

—The Winston Graded School opened Monday with 355 pupils.

—The corn in the Yadkin river bottoms is said to be the finest ever seen.

—First quarter of the moon yesterday, 16th, Emberday. Full moon the 27th.

—Young men's prayer-meeting in the Male Academy, every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

—John R. Williams, Jr., has been appointed postmaster at the Fork Church, Davie county.

—There are 156 cases on the State docket and 57 on the civil docket for October term of Court.

—A fine rain Monday, commencing about a mile from town and extending some three miles south.

—Mr. Clarence Wolfe, of Bethlehem, Pa., is the guest of Rev. J. H. Cleveland. He gave us a friendly call.

—See Mr. Reid's new advertisement in this issue. Mr. Reid's place of business is near Orinoco Warehouse.

—Martin Grogan is the new U. S. Commissioner of the Western District of North Carolina, for Forsyth county.

—The Internal Revenue collections at this branch office, for the week ending September 12th, were \$19,635.99.

—Last week C. B. Hasten's wood shed caught fire by hot ashes being carelessly placed against it and burnt down in Kernersville.

—Daniel Rominger has nearly completed a large frame residence on the top of the hill above the Paper mill, on Old Shallowford Street.

N. W. N. C. Guide Book.

An illustrated edition of this popular pamphlet has just been issued. An appendix notices the late improvements in Salem and Winston. Price 25 cents.

—We are requested to state that the Baptist protracted meeting which was to have been held at Clemmons-ville the 3rd Sunday in this month, has been postponed to the 4th Sunday in October.

—A new house has been erected on West street, in what is known as the ten acre field. Another residence will soon be erected in the near vicinity of this other, a well has been dug, &c.

—The Academy for September will be issued the latter part of this week. A strong plea for an Alumni Association is made in the leading editorial, which we hope will result in the speedy formation of such an association.

An Equine Wonder.

To show the extent to which the horse is susceptible of training, it is only necessary to visit W. W. Cole's colossal shows and watch the horse Blondin in his unparalleled feat of walking a tight-rope stretched twenty feet above the ground. Every body that sees it declares it a marvel.

—Section 3rd of the Post Office Appropriation act, approved March 3rd, 1885, provides for a special stamp of the face value of ten cents. Letters bearing this stamp receive immediate attention at "free delivery offices" and thus secure a more prompt delivery, without any delay whatever. These stamps can be had at the Salem office, and lists of offices where such letters may be specially delivered can be examined at this office and at the Post Office.

—A list of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Salem, N. C., for the week ending Sept. 12th, 1885.

Deaths.

Mrs. J. M. Glend, Mrs. Martha Gaitler, Mrs. Amanda Mook, Mrs. Sally Reich, Mrs. Mary E. Trissey.

Gravestones.

Mr. Lee Beck, Mr. Sam Belfon (col.), Mr. Henry Broadstreet, Mr. R. H. Burke, Mr. H. K. Boyer, D. L. Disher, Thomas Duffy, Andrew Houston, Mr. Eugene Hine, Mr. Milton S. Kizer, W. C. Knott, William L. Swain, Mr. Thomas Stewart.

To obtain any of these letters the applicant must call for advertised letters. If not called for within one month they will be sent to the dead letter office.

T. B. DOUTHITT, P. M.

FOR SALE—A valuable plantation. Enquire of

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LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

—We saw a young man exhibiting a novelty chum power in front of Martin Charles' house. In order to show its workings, he had a large glass jar the size of a churn. Being anxious to show how quickly he could empty it, he threw it on the ground, breaking it to pieces. He must get another jar before he can continue the canvass.

—We saw a man last week taking a small load of watermelons and cantaloupes to Salem. He said they were out of season, and had been pulled off of dead vines and would make his children sick if allowed to eat them, so he concluded to sell them. It seems that he had not considered that some one else's children would eat them, and be made sick. Better give such unhealthy ones to the hogs.

—Napoleon Beckerdite's turkey gopher conceived the idea of trying an experiment. He went into Pleasant Nitong's field, under an apple tree, and scraped together about a peck of apples. He decided to try his "luck" sitting. He stuck to his task closely, both day and night for more than four weeks, and then gave it up, well convinced that it is foolishness to try to change apples to turkeys.

—We notice that farmers generally are putting their wheat ground in better fix than they did last year. They are convinced that the yield depends a great deal on the manner of sowing. A Davidson man told us that last fall he had good clover land which was too hard to plow until late. When it became well soaked, he plowed it carefully, broke the clods with a hoe, and harrowed it several times and made 140 bushels of wheat on 12 acres.

PRACTICAL AND USEFUL.—Some who intend to use fertilizer have asked your correspondent what must be the length of a side of a square acre: Measure 12 rods and 11 feet on each side, and you have a near approximation to one acre. If it is not desirable to have your acre exactly square, the following table will aid you in the measurement, viz:

1 by 160 rods equals one acre.	
2 " 80 " " " "	
3 " 53 1/3 " " " "	
4 " 40 " " " "	
5 " 32 " " " "	
6 " 26 2/3 " " " "	
7 " 22 2/7 " " " "	
8 " 20 " " " "	
9 " 17 2/3 " " " "	
10 " 16 " " " "	
11 " 14 2/11 " " " "	
12 " 13 1/3 " " " "	
15 " 10 2/3 " " " "	
18 " 8 2/3 " " " "	
25 " 6 2/5 " " " "	
30 " 5 1/3 " " " "	
50 " 3 1/5 " " " "	

For ordinary purposes a pole cut 161 feet long will do for a measure, but a better thing would be to procure a cotton cord and soak it for a while in tar, to prevent it from stretching and shrinking. Tie an iron ring in each end just 161 feet apart. Divide the cord in eights by tying ribbon, colored different to the cord, around it every two feet and three quarters of an inch apart and you are ready to measure fractions. Now cutting two small stakes one man can do his own measuring: Stick down one stake and drop one ring over it, then stretch your cord put the other ring over the second stake. Carry your first stake a rod farther, continue this process until you reach the desired point.

A CROWNING TRIUMPH.

The Unequaled Entertainment Given by Cole's Colossal Shows.

W. W. Cole's Colossal Shows are coming, and will exhibit at SALEM AND WINSTON, TUESDAY, September 29th. That Mr. Cole has the greatest show now on the road is frankly admitted by both press and public. The surpassing excellence of his entertainments, which exceed in extent and variety of anything heretofore presented in the circus line, is thoroughly attested. The exhibitions given under a mammoth canvas, are unique in character and abounding in startling feats, performed in succession in the rings and upon the elevated stage. The old-time circus features, such as riding, tumbling, leaping, &c., are retained, to which are added such novel and astonishing attractions as aerial bicycling, performing Arabs, Turks, Moors, Egyptians, Mexicans and Spaniards; Mile Amice, the Human Fly, who walks head downward upon a polished plane of wood sixty feet above the ground; grand rolling skating carnival, a clown elephant and a performing white hippopotamus from the historic Nile; an equine wonder in the shape of the horse Blondin, that has reached the zenith of brute intelligence by learning to walk a tight-rope stretched twenty feet above the ground. A decidedly interesting feature in the natural history department is the bovine curiosity—a living, healthy cow, with two distinct and perfectly formed heads, each with its complement of horns, eyes, ears and mouth. This feature alone is a study for naturalists.

Many cages of wild animals, and numerous trained animals, occupy the menagerie tent. A better or more pleasing show could not be got together, and the popular verdict places W. W. Cole at the head of the procession as the greatest showman of the country.

DAVIDSON COUNTY.

From the Lexington Dispatch.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—Commissioners Jones and Kendall were present at the meeting of the board last week. The usual amount of routine business was transacted.

The tobacco warehouse at Thomasville was exempted from tax on sales for one year.

Mr. Robert Michael was authorized to let out a contract for building a bridge at Evans' old mill.

It was ordered that the tax books be turned over to the sheriff.

A stock law petition from Cotton Grove was postponed until the next meeting of the board.

—The county board of education will meet in Lexington on the 3rd Monday of September, to take up unfinished business.

—Mr. John Wilson, Sr., died in this county on the 22nd ult., aged 83 years, 7 months and 4 days.

—The people at the mouth of Muddy Creek are trying to have a new post office established, by extending the mail route from Salem to Yokely some three miles further, either to Fry's mill or Mr. John Holland's house. The new office will probably be called Shotwell.

—A dog belonging to Mr. W. R. McCuiston, of Davidson county, attacked Mrs. McCuiston last week, and tore her clothes badly; but did not succeed in biting her. His conduct at the time, and for several days previous, indicated that he was mad, and he was accordingly killed.

—While Mr. R. K. Hege was driving to his father's farm one day last week, a shaft broke, and the horse becoming unmanageable, Mr. Hege jumped out of the buggy. The horse went on some distance with the buggy, mashing it all to pieces. Mr. Hege received some slight bruises from his jump; nothing serious.

DAVIE COUNTY.

From the Times.

—G. J. Booe, Esq., has been appointed storekeeper and gauger for Davie and has forwarded his bond.

—James A. Kelly, Esq., has resigned the office of county commissioner, and the Justices of the Peace are requested to meet at the Court House, on Monday, September 28th, to fill the vacancy, and for other purposes.

—Mr. James Deadman, of Jerusalem township, has a peach tree that now has the second crop growing on it. Mr. Deadman says the tree has borne two crops a year, for the past three years, and the second crop, while not so large, is always the best, having a finer flavor.

Abstract of Tax of Forsyth County for the Year 1885.

White polls 2,388; colored polls 415; No. acres land 223,326; value of land \$1,132,704; No. of lots 1,450; value of lots \$1,215,889; No. of horses 2,142; value of horses \$120,580; No. of mules 807; value of mules \$50,205; No. of jacks 6; value of jacks \$325; No. of janets 4; value of janets \$52; No. of goats 19; value of goats \$19; No. of cattle 5,406; value of cattle \$47,250; No. of hogs 8,830; value of hogs \$18,918; No. of sheep 3,049; value of sheep \$3,096; household and farming implements 296,139; money on hand \$146,137; solvent credits \$883,199; shares in incorporated companies 33,100; all other personal property \$825,139; Railroad franchises \$13,400; aggregate \$3,736,157; income \$2,750; 4 dogs; bank stock \$208,500; State tax \$18,057.32; county tax \$12,401.04.

Ponderous Humanity.

Mrs. Emma M. Markly, who was credited with being the heaviest woman in the country, died in Philadelphia last week. She was known in circus nomenclature as Mme. Victoria. Her advertised weight was over 600 pounds, and her actual weight about 550 pounds. She was born in Reading, Pa., about thirty-three years ago, and was slim and delicate throughout her girlhood. At nineteen she weighed only 90 pounds, but from this age she began to gradually gain in flesh. Before her death the circumference of her arm at the biceps was 36 inches. Her waist measured 62 1/2 inches, and from shoulder to shoulder she measured 3 feet 4 inches. The measurement across her hips was just four feet. On the night of her death it required the full strength of 9 men to carry her body from the second story to the parlor on the ground floor. Her coffin was constructed of three-inch walnut planks and was stoutly braced on the inside with a dozen heavy iron bars. It was 6 feet 10 inches long, 46 inches wide, and 3 feet deep. It was too large to pass through the door, and was taken through the wide single window and carried to the undertaker's wagon by twelve stout men. There was not a creak in the coffin large enough to contain the coffin.

Two Tobacco Crops a Year.—Down in Bart township, Pa., Francis Lenox has now topped the fourth crop of tobacco in two years. It is Havana seed, and was raised on the same piece of ground as the first crop. The first crop last year was cut on July 18; the second on September 20. This year the first crop was cut on July 20, and the second crop was harvested early in September. Mr. Lenox believes that two crops of tobacco can easily be raised from one piece of good ground in one year. He has been raising tobacco since 1861.

MARRIED.

Recently, JOHN CHAMBLIN, of Union Cross, to Miss JOYCE YOKELY, of Davidson county.

In Davidson county, PLEASANT SMITH to Miss NANCY J. SMITH.

DIED.

In Davidson county, on the 13th inst., after much suffering from an internal cancer, Mrs. SOPHIA SMITH, widow of the late Henry Smith, aged about 50 years.

Suddenly, in Winston, on the night of 10th inst., LEVIN BREWER. He leaves a wife and 5 or 6 children.

TAX NOTICE.

THIS is to give notice that I will attend, at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the taxes due Forsyth county for the year 1885:

Monday, Oct. 5th,	Chimney's Stand,
Tuesday, " 6th,	Kernersville,
Wednesday, " 7th,	Crim's N. Road,
Thursday, " 8th,	Hardin Hatfield's,
Friday, " 9th,	Alston Stewart's,
Saturday, " 10th,	Old Town,
Monday, " 12th,	Lewis Bittling's,
Tuesday, " 13th,	Elijah Reed's,
Wednesday, " 14th,	Brookstown,
Thursday, " 15th,	Lewisville,
Friday, " 16th,	Ren Hampton's,
Saturday, " 17th,	Salem, Bolo House,
Monday, " 19th,	Winston, Court House,

State Tax for General Purposes, 25c. on \$100 valuation.
State Tax for School Purposes, 12c. on \$100 valuation.
County Tax, General Purposes, 25c. on \$100 valuation.
County Tax, School Purposes, 5c. on \$100 valuation.
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NORTH CAROLINA.

In Superior Court, Wilkes County.

Petition to sell land for J. M. McNeill and others, against J. P. Gaudin and others.

To Wit: Wm. Stout and wife Emeline, John Brown and wife Sallie and Bartlett McNeill, Defendants in above entitled action.

You are hereby required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes County, at his office in Wilkesboro, N. C., on the 22nd day of October, 1885, and answer or demur to the complaint of the Plaintiff in this action.

This 22nd day of August, 1885. Witness my hand and seal.

L. S. CALL, C. C. C.
John S. Cranor, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SALEM MARKETS.

Wheat,	\$1 10 to 1 20
Corn, per bushel,	75 to 80
Oats,	50 to 55
Rye,	60 to 65
Barley, per bushel,	40 to 45
Flour, per hundred,	2 75 to 3 25
Peas, (col'd), per bushel,	0 80 to 0 90
Peas, (white), " " " " " "	1 00 to 1 10
Beans, (col'd), " " " " " "	0 75 to 0 85
Beans, (white), " " " " " "	1 50 to 1 60
Chicken, set, per bushel,	0 80 to 0 90
Pork,	0 10 to 0 12
Lard,	8 to 10
Country Moot, (hog),	0 00 to 0 05
" " " " " "	0 00 to 0 05
Green Apples,	0 00 to 0 05
Eggs,	12 to 15
Butter, per pound,	15 to 20
Tallow,	5 to 10
Beeswax,	10 to 15
Flax Seed, per bushel,	50 to 60
Potatoes, Irish, per bushel,	75 to 80
Potatoes, sweet, " " " " " "	40 to 50
Cabbage, per pound,	4 to 5
Chickens,	15 to 20

Winston Tobacco Market.

Lugs Common Green,	5 00 to 6 00
" Bright,	7 00 to 8 00
" Good,	8 00 to 12 00
" Fine,	10 00 to 18 00
Fillers, Common,	5 00 to 6 00
" Good,	8 00 to 12 00
" Fine,	12 00 to 18 00
Wrappers, Common,	15 00 to 20 00
" Good,	35 00 to 40 00
" Fine,	45 00 to 50 00
" Fancy,	60 00 to 75 00

Dried Fruit Market.

Cherries, pitted,	12 cents
Damson, Plums,	8 cents
Whortleberries,	7 cents
Blackberries,	6 cents
Quarter Apples,	4 cents
Sliced Apples, common,	4 cents
Sliced Apples, bright,	5 cents
Sliced Apples, fancy,	6 cents
Dark Peetee Apples,	4 cents
Bright,	5 to 8 cents
Fancy,	10 cents
Quarter unpeeled,	5 cents
Halves,	4 cents

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RE-SALE OF LAND.

BY virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Forsyth County, I will expose to sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, the 26th Day of September, 1885,

the following Lots:

Lot No. 1, No. 2, No. 3, Nos. 4 and 6, on the North side of the road in Taggartown. Also Lots No. 1, 3, 4, on the South side of the road.

Also 29 ACRES OF LAND.

All of the above property belonging to the estate of George Mook, a ten per cent. bid having been placed upon them since the first sale.

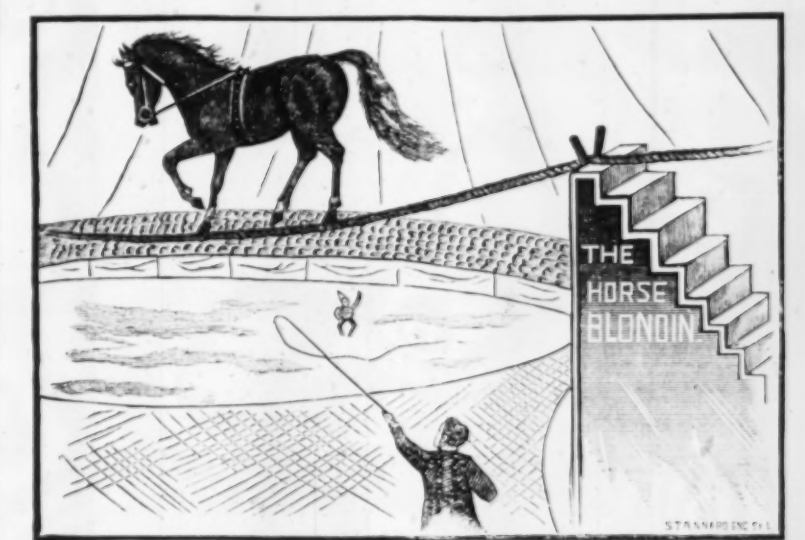
TERMS.—One-third cash, one-third three months and one-third six months. Bond with security required.

P. W. RAPER, Adm'r. of George Mook.

J. C. Buxton, Attorney.

Aug. 24th, 1885.

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D. S. REID.

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